

FRANCE HOLDS GERMAN OFFER NOT ENOUGH

NEW VOLSTEAD BILL AIMED AT USE OF BEER AS MEDICINE

Seeks to Prevent Prescription of Beer by Physicians for Medicinal Purposes

TIGHTENS UP RESTRICTIONS ON PRESCRIPTION OF WINE

Would Limit Prescriptions to Actual Needs

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Representative A. J. Volstead, author of the prohibition enforcement act, accepting the recommendations of the Anti-Saloon League, started the wet forces on Monday by introducing a bill in the house to amend the prohibition law to prevent physicians from prescribing beer for medicinal purposes. The amendment was offered, Mr. Volstead said, to meet the situation created by the opinion of Attorney General Palmer, who held that beer could be prescribed as medicine. The internal revenue commissioner was about to issue an order based on Mr. Palmer's opinion, which permitted prescribing two bottles of beer a day as medicine.

Action Is Surprise

The wet forces as well as the mild dregs were greatly surprised at this action, as they claimed that they had been given to understand by Mr. Volstead that no attempt would be made to amend the law unless prescribing beer became so common as to be patently nullify the law.

In addition to specifically prohibiting the use of beer as medicine, the bill makes stricter the prescribing of wine as medicine, limiting prescriptions to actual needs for medicinal use.

"The principal object of the bill is to supplement the provisions of the national prohibition act so as to prevent beer being made a medicine," said Mr. Volstead. "It specifically prohibits doctors from prescribing beer. It is also to argue that there is any real necessity for beer as medicine, besides everything in beer except the alcohol can be had in the so-called near beers without any prescription. Thirty-eight states prohibit beer from being prescribed."

RIDES ON SIDEWALK CUSTODIAN FINED IN POLICE COURT

James Wicks, colored custodian of the Cargill property at West Avenue and Cass streets, was arraigned in police court Tuesday morning on the charge of riding a bicycle on the sidewalk on Twelfth street. He paid a fine of \$7.50.

SOVIET ASKS TRADE AGREEMENT WITH THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT

MOSCOW.—Immediate signature of a trade agreement between Soviet Russia and Germany is sought by the Moscow government through its representative, L. Scheinmann, who arrived here Monday enroute to Berlin.

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity.—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Somewhat cooler tonight.

For Wisconsin.—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Somewhat cooler tonight in eastern and southern portions.

For Minnesota.—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Cooler tonight in extreme southeastern portion.

For Iowa.—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Cooler tonight in eastern portion.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

6 a. m.	55	10 a. m.	59
7 a. m.	56	11 a. m.	60
8 a. m.	57	12 m.	61
9 a. m.	58	1 p. m.	62

RIVER FORECAST

There will be no material change in the river stages during the next hours but will probably fall slightly in the upper section.

RIVER BULLETIN

Stations	Flood Height	24-hour Change
St. Paul	4.5	-.2
Red Wing	4.0	-.1
St. Cloud	3.5	-.1
Winona	3.0	-.1
La Crosse	2.5	-.1
Dubuque	2.0	-.1
Keokuk	1.5	-.1

NATION-WIDE RECORD

Place	Lowest	Record
Albany	4.0	4.0
Albany	3.5	3.5
Albany	3.0	3.0
Albany	2.5	2.5
Albany	2.0	2.0
Albany	1.5	1.5
Albany	1.0	1.0
Albany	.5	.5
Albany	0.0	0.0
Albany	-.5	-.5
Albany	-1.0	-1.0
Albany	-1.5	-1.5
Albany	-2.0	-2.0
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Albany	-3.0	-3.0
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Albany	-8.5	-8.5
Albany	-9.0	-9.0
Albany	-9.5	-9.5
Albany	-10.0	-10.0

LA CROSSE PASTOR ASKED TO SEND CONSCIENCE FUND WHICH PROVES A MYSTERY

TWO weeks ago a stranger called on Rev. E. C. Dixon, pastor of the First Methodist church and handing him \$140 in currency, requested him to forward the amount to Harvey Snyder of Coldwater, Mich. The man refused to give his name and departed after receiving the promise of Mr. Dixon that his request would be complied with.

Rev. Mr. Dixon forwarded the money and heard nothing from Coldwater until yesterday, when he received a letter from Harvey Snyder expressing surprise that anyone should want to send him \$140. Snyder wrote that he once endorsed a note for \$120 for a friend at a bank.

Mr. Dixon is unable to inform Mr. Snyder whether it was this friend who gave him the \$140.

Snyder should worry. One hundred and forty iron-men will buy a lot of gas and tires.

BRITISH RAILWAY WORKERS REFUSE TO HANDLE COAL

"Grave Step" Intended to Coerce Nation Declares Geddes in Commons

DECLARES GOVERNMENT CANNOT ACCEPT ORDER

Coal Is Necessary, He Declares, Order Effort to Starve Nation

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—The National Union of Railway Men has instructed its members not to handle coal from colliery sidings or from overseas, Sir Eric Geddes, minister of transportation, announced in the house of commons Tuesday. He characterized the order as a grave step.

Such coal, the minister said, was necessary to the life of the community, as it was needed to provide a fair minimum for household use and to continue the essential public utilities, such as sewage, water, gas, electricity and transport.

To prevent the delivery of such coal, he declared, was an attempt to starve the nation and no government could allow the nation to be so coerced.

He said he had invited the general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen to meet him this afternoon and he hoped for a good result from the meeting.

Proposals for the establishment of a wage plan acceptable to both sides of the mining controversy were considered at today's meeting of miners and mine owners.

URGE PUBLIC GIVE WELCOME TO SCORE WHO BECOME CITIZENS

Civic organizations responsible for the citizenship ritual which is to be presented at the normal school this evening, marking the graduation of twenty-three aliens who have been taking the citizenship course in the vocational school, invite every one to attend.

It was pointed out that the men who will receive their diplomas this evening are being received into the community as qualified citizens by the ceremony, and it is hoped that there will be a good audience of townspeople to welcome them.

The ceremony will begin at 8 o'clock. There will be a splendid musical program as well as the "citizenship ritual" with which the graduates will receive their diplomas. Incidentally, the diplomas exempt the holders from the routine naturalization examinations in circuit court when they take out their final papers.

CARPENTERS TO WORK IN MILWAUKEE FOR 85 CENTS AN HOUR

MILWAUKEE.—Building costs in Milwaukee will decline again next week, when a new wage scale for union carpenters goes into effect. Union carpenters who have been getting \$1 an hour for an eight hour day, will get 85 cents an hour, beginning reduction of \$1.20 was decided Tuesday.

Negotiations for the reductions were started sometime ago by building contractors through the Builders' Benevolent association.

BRITISH SOLDIERS TESTIFY TO CRUELTY IN PRISON CAMPS

LONDON.—German lawyers were present Tuesday for the first time since 1914 in the Bow street court when British soldiers who were prisoners of war gave testimony against German army officers accused of cruelty and atrocity. The evidence given will be used in the trial of German "war criminals" at Leipzig.

WIRE COMPANIES FIND LINES DOWN FOLLOWING STORM

Fierce Electrical and Wind Storm Sweeps Western and Central Wisconsin

BASEMENTS ARE FLOODED IN CITY BY A HEAVY RAINFALL

Over Half Inch Falls Here Within Fifteen Minutes

Flooded basements in the city, washed out roads in the rural districts of this part of the state and considerable wire trouble experienced by telephone, telephone and railroad companies resulted from the torrential rain and wind storm which swept over Western Wisconsin Monday afternoon.

According to the weather bureau record, 56 hundredths of an inch of rain fell here in fifteen minutes, between 2 and 2:15 Monday afternoon. This was not a record rainfall for a quarter-hour, but the weather officials admitted it was a "smart shower."

With the sewers unable to carry off this volume of water in a few minutes, catch basins were flooded and overflowed and basements were flooded in a number of buildings in the downtown district.

Out in the country districts creeks rose rapidly over their banks and gullies were washed across roads by floods which poured down the creeks and cut over the highways.

Wire Service Down

Wire service was paralyzed for a time in the territory between Hustler and Mauston and Tomah and southward. For a time messages from the east were routed to La Crosse around through Minneapolis.

On the Burlington line considerable trouble was experienced between East Dubuque and Calmar. In one place the trouble was said to be due to freight car roofs being blown onto the wires.

South of La Crosse the storm was accompanied by a fierce wind which attained tornado-like proportions for a minute or two. All of the damage was done during this blow.

The Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company experienced a short circuit which put the direct current electric line out of commission for over an hour Monday afternoon.

All the wire companies reported damage repaired and traffic on a normal basis Tuesday morning.

Severe in Milwaukee

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—An electric storm of unusual severity, accompanied by heavy rainfall, swept westward and central Wisconsin on Monday, causing damage estimated at thousands of dollars, and completely cutting off wire communications.

Short delays in Milwaukee street car service resulted from the storm. The transmission line from the Kilbourn dam being cut down west of Watertown. Street cars were stalled for a few minutes while arrangements were being made to operate them with power from local plants. Electric company officials said.

Wire communication with Jamesville and Portage was cut off early Monday night. Milwaukee road officials reported that there was much wire trouble in the neighborhood of Portage and Kilbourn and that a number of poles were down on the line from Portage to Camp Douglas.

Trains were delayed by the interrupted communication, as well as by flooded tracks. A long stretch of track between Milton Junction and Jamesville was reported under water. Milwaukee road officials said.

BUTTER PRICES TAKE FIVE-CENT DROP ON THE CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO, Ill.—Butter prices took a decided tumble Tuesday. Creamery extras dropped 5c a pound, falling to 35c wholesale as compared with 40c Monday. Other grades descended as much as six cents.

Increasing supplies appeared to be the chief reason. The arrivals here Tuesday totaled 13,015 tubs as against 7,704 tubs a month ago.

FATHER SELLS HIDE FOR 90 CENTS; SON PAYS 75 FOR LACES

HOUSTON, Minn.—Wm. Gordon and his son brought a full-grown cow's hide here to sell recently, and the boy, needing laces for his lightest boots, paid 75 cents for the laces while his father was selling the cowhide for 90 cents. The elder Gordon now plans to kill a beef and cut the hide into shoe-leather next time these articles are needed by his family.

BRIAND STICKS TO MAY 1 ULTIMATUM

Germany Offers To Take Over Allied Debts To United States

BERLIN.—(By the Associated Press.)—Germany, "in the event the United States and the allies so desire, is willing, according to the extent of her ability and capacity to assume the allied obligations to the United States," says a clause in her counter proposals, it was definitely learned here Tuesday.

With this exception the counter proposals forwarded to Washington, including the offer of 200,000,000,000 gold marks, are virtually as forecast in yesterday's Associated Press from this city.

To Pay According to Ability

Germany offers to pay fifty billion gold marks, the present value of which, converted into annuities, totals 200,000,000,000 gold marks. The payments under this proposal would be made according to her ability.

"With the acceptance of these proposals," says the German note, "Germany's other reparations and obligations will be annulled and all German private property in foreign countries released."

Germany, in her new reparations proposals, declares that the present proposals are only capable of being carried out if the system of penalties now in force is discontinued forthwith, that she is free of all unproductive outlays now imposed on her, that she be given freedom of trade.

Offers Billion at Once

As evidence of her good faith says the note, Germany is prepared immediately to place at the disposal of the reparations committee 150,000,000 marks in gold, silver and foreign exchange, and 500,000,000 gold marks in treasury notes, redeemable within three months in foreign exchange or foreign securities.

The note to the Washington government, embodying the German proposals was made public here Tuesday afternoon.

The forecast of Germany's reparations offer as cabled from Berlin Monday in Associated Press dispatches, showed the Germans as naming 200,000,000,000 gold marks as the ultimate total of the indemnity they would agree to pay as compared with the 225,000,000,000 gold marks demanded by the allies in their terms formulated at Paris last winter.

As to the terms of payment the Germans suggest making the annuities flexible, dependent upon the recovery of German industries. They also suggest an international loan to be floated immediately, the sum not being fixed, for the purpose of placing ready cash at the entente's disposal.

Willingness to pledge her customs' revenues as guarantees is expressed by Germany together with an offer to deliver manufactured articles to the allies with the understanding she would pay the producers and obtain credits upon her indemnity.

In addition Germany offers immediate participation in the work of restoring the devastated areas, she to supply labor and materials, which would be credited against her indemnity.

GERMAN PROPOSALS MAKE GOOD IMPRESSION BUT NO HINT OF U. S. POLICY GIVEN

WISCONSIN SENATE APPROVES BILL FOR MUNICIPAL MARKETS

Kleist Measure Permits Cities to Purchase and Operate Markets

MADISON, Wis.—Municipal marketing was brought a step nearer reality Tuesday morning by passage in the senate of the Kleist bill, permitting cities to acquire and operate publicly owned markets. The measure has been declared by Attorney General William Morgan to be unconstitutional on the ground that it would allow expenditure of public money for a private purpose.

Under provision of the bill passed by the upper house, cities will be permitted to purchase stores, houses, and business establishments for the purpose of operating them for their own markets, independent of the measure say that it is not designed to bring about competition with private establishments, but only to serve as a club over private markets.

This is one of three municipal marketing bills before the legislature, two others being before the municipalities committee of the assembly. Assemblyman Mark Catlin withdrew a bill of his following the ruling of Attorney General Morgan. Jewelry valued at over \$750 will be taxed in Wisconsin as a result of concurrence in the Johnson bill by the senate this morning.

Personal property tax is to be on valuable which will be assessed on the tax rolls at the same time other assessments are made.

The senate passed the Czernyski bill, permitting former soldiers who received a cash bonus to be allowed the educational bonus during the time they had been in school, and before they have returned the cash bonus.

Repeal of the federal excess profits tax was opposed by the assembly when it passed Assemblyman M. Miller's resolution memorializing congress to retain the surtax laws and to kill sales tax legislation.

NOTE DISCUSSED BY THE CABINET AS FIRST STEP

Nothing Made Public Pending Decision and Discussion With Allied Envoys

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The German counter proposals on reparations were discussed at length at the regular Tuesday meeting of President Harding's cabinet, but if any decision was reached the fact was carefully concealed.

Those attending the meeting maintained absolute silence on the subject and would not say that the German communication was taken up. It was known, however, that Secretary Hughes laid it before the president and his advisers.

Department officials refused to say what proposals Germany had made.

Debate Sufficiency of Offer

Whether the proposals from Berlin will be transmitted to the allied governments will depend upon the view of administration officials as to the adequacy of the payments which Germany agreed to make. Even should the American government decide that the proposals constitute a basis upon which negotiations between the allies and Germany could be resumed it is the understanding that the views of the allied diplomats here will be sought before any other move is made.

Make Favorable Impression

Although official comment was withheld, the impression was gained that the German proposals had produced a favorable impression. Pending the outcome of the cabinet discussion, however, even suggestions as to the probable course of the United States in dealing with the German communication were carefully withheld.

Text of German Proposal

BERLIN.—By The Associated Press.—The text of the clause in the note stating the amount Germany is ready to pay reads as follows: "Germany declares herself ready to engage to pay for reparations a total of 50,000,000,000 marks gold at their present value. Germany is equally ready to pay this amount in annuities adapted to her productive capacity up to a total of 200,000,000,000 marks gold."

Germany proposes in the note the issue of an international loan, the

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BILLION DUE HELD SEPARATE FROM TOTAL

Balance of Twenty Billion Required in Treaty Must be Paid on Date Set Before Further Negotiation

OFFER TO BE DISCUSSED AT MEETING SATURDAY

Expect that Harding Will Consider Proposals Good Enough to Transmit

PARIS.—(By the Associated Press.)—Germany's new reparations propositions as made public Tuesday are considered here as unacceptable even as a basis for discussion, according to well informed opinion close to the French foreign office.

PARIS.—(By the Associated Press.)—Premier Briand told the chamber of deputies on Tuesday afternoon:

"If on May 1 satisfactory proposals, with acceptable guarantees are not made by the German government, the Ruhr will be occupied."

After hearing the premier's statement, the chamber voted confidence in the government by a vote of 421 to 25, with 59 deputies abstaining from voting.

The possibility of applying penalties to Germany immediately after May 1, despite whatever propositions Germany may make regarding reparations in general, is being seriously considered, according to well informed French circles today. Such action would be because of the German refusal to transfer one billion gold marks to the Rhineland or hand over the equivalent of that sum as demanded by the reparations commission.

Must Pay Balance

It is held in French circles that the failure of the Germans to pay the balance of the twenty billion gold marks due May 1, under the provisions of Article 225 of the treaty of Versailles, is entirely independent of the negotiations regarding the sum total of the reparations she must eventually pay. The treaty fixes absolutely this amount which, being unpaid, justifies the application of penalties, according to this theory, whatever course may be taken regarding the fixing of the total amount.

It is pointed out that the German note contains an offer of a billion marks at par value in gold, silver, foreign exchange and treasury notes, to be paid "at once" as a guarantee of good faith.

It is semi-officially stated that the French feel unable to allow infractions of the treaty to remain without protest as they are convinced, it is declared, that the Germans are only seeking to delay the execution of all clauses of the treaty in the hope that the allies may divide among themselves and make bargaining easier for Germany later on.

Therefore, it is semi-officially indicated, the French are considering the necessity from their viewpoint, of occupying the Ruhr Valley regardless of what Berlin may propose through Washington.

Press Holds Offer Too Low

PARIS.—Indications gleaned from the French press in their discussions of the German reparations offer show a sentiment among the papers that generally reflect government opinion that the offer is too low. For the most part the papers propose that the plans for occupation of the Ruhr and basin be carried out regardless of the German offer, and that after this demonstration of allied inflexibility negotiations be begun with Berlin with her latest offer as a basis.

Le Temps, commenting editorially on the new proposals, said:

"We hope the United States facilitates our task by spontaneously reflecting, without even unofficially consulting the allies, any proposals manifestly insufficient."

Expect U. S. to Approve

If President Harding communicates the proposals—and it is inferred he will in order to start negotiations—the French will consent to discuss the offer at Saturday's supreme council conference.

Premier Briand will reserve the right to occupy the Ruhr basin immediately.

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PLUMB PLAN TOPIC OF WARM DEBATE BY K. G. MEMBERS

Affirmative Side, Composed of Marcou, Britton and Flanagan, Win the Honors

NEGATIVES: ELLIOTT, BUTLER, ROSSITER IN GAME FIGHT

Knights of Arcadia and Prairie du Chien Get Rousing Welcome

The "Plumb plan of operating railroads" was set up as the greatest, most beautiful plan for running railroads, then taken and stood on its head and derided as the greatest piece that ever confronted an American industry in a sizzling debate staged Monday night by the La Crosse council, Knights of Columbian. It was a great talk-test that the council held. First, it was the regular meeting night of the council. After the business meeting of the council was extended to about 100 knights from Arcadia and Prairie du Chien who motored to this city Monday for a friendly visit.

The next event on the program was the debate and this was followed by a smoker and luncheon. It was one lively evening.

Marcou Wins For Affirmatives

The affirmative side of the debate was taken by Paul Marcou, Michael Britton and John E. Flanagan. The negative side was upheld by John Elliott, Jr., Robert A. Butler and William Rossiter. The affirmative side, won, two to one. The judges were Carl Ivers and Henry Schup of Equivocal Chien and William Hogan of Arcadia. Marcou, who spoke last in the affirmative side and also the last in the debate, made a brilliant finish overbalancing the negatives with a flow of oratory, waving of arms and jamming home of facts that won the debate for his side.

The affirmative side pointed out that the railroads under private ownership and management had proved a failure; that the Esch-Cummins law would cost the people \$7,000,000 a year for two years because of the six per cent guarantee and would increase the cost of living \$15 a year per capita. The railroads should not be guaranteed certain earnings any more than any other industry. It was contended, if any guarantee had to be paid the funds why doesn't the government take over the lines and pay the taxpayers or itself a guarantee. It was asked, it was shown that whereas the stock of railroads is supposed to be held by railroads and organized, it is really held by New York and Amsterdam bankers. With the bonds capitalized at \$20,000,000, the railroads declared it would mean raising \$1,200,000 in rates each year. Under the Plumb plan, if there was a profit at the end of the year, the people get the benefits in reduced freight rates.

Plumb Plan Held Radical

The negative side contended that the Plumb plan was put in operation and proved a success it would mean the socialization of all other great industries. The Plumb plan was branded as the greatest menace since free silver and was only a hold move on the part of socialists. The failure of the nationalization schemes in Russia was pointed to as examples of what would happen in America if such propositions as the Plumb plan were put in operation. The Plumb plan was said to involve the raising of \$12,000,000,000 by floating 4 per cent bonds to take over the railroads. It was shown that the government couldn't float 4 per cent bonds successfully to carry on the war, therefore the Plumb plan could not successfully issue 4 per cent bonds.

A plea was made for a fair trial of the Esch-Cummins law. The Plumb plan would do away with capital. It was declared and the people would have not control over wages nor freight and passenger rates. According to the Plumb plan, it was argued, the government would make up deficits when there were lean years but when there were fat years half the profits would go to the government and the other half to the employees.

COMING RIGHT
The good old pipe getting ripe. And full of rich mazelum, so when it's fit the smell of it makes folks exclaim "Jerusalem! it's smoking pipe!" But no, I ain't! This brand is most respectable; it's the no. 1. And then it is delectable! —Curtain Magazine.

DELAY FUNERAL OF AGED VETERAN FOR DEATH OF WIDOW—THEY WILL BE LAID AWAY TOGETHER

CHICAGO, Ill.—They were going to Oakwoods cemetery Monday morning to bury the body of Israel P. Ramsey of Lake Forest when there came an interruption. A messenger came to the mourners. He had come from the bedside of the widow and the consultation of the physicians. "Mrs. Ramsey can live but a few hours," he said. The relatives whispered together and then decided that the aged man and his wife should be buried together. The hearse was turned, the coffin was borne into the house. "The Evergreens," the casket was lighted about it again, and sons and daughters waited for the end.

Both Buried Tomorrow
Mrs. Ramsey died shortly after midnight. She will be buried Tuesday with her husband. Services will be held in the home at 1:30 o'clock, and the grave will cover more than fifty years of romance. The Ramseys were wed on June 12, 1867. He was 34 years old then. He had fought through the civil war, had been made a captain for conspicuous bravery at the siege of Vicksburg, and had founded the firm of J. P. and J. W. Ramsey. She was Miss Mary M. Astell.

Wish to Die Together
All during their life, at frequent intervals, both had said their wish was to die together. Neither wanted to survive.

IMPROVE HUMANITY AIM OF ALL EFFORT DECLARES ROWLISON

Points Out Modern Tendency in Legislative and Other Activities

"The Availing Life" was the topic of a sermon by Rev. C. C. Rowlison at the First Congregational church Sunday morning. He said in part: "In the early stages of the Christian church, the disciples met with such bitter persecution that at times they lost almost all interest in the world, and were almost absorbed in the rewards of the Christian death. St. Paul did not lose interest in life that way. He did not admit that, for him, 'to die is gain.' Still a careful student of the writings of the great apostle, the church hardly avoid the conclusion that he was interested in a fine Christian character primarily for the value it will be in the life beyond."

On the other hand, it is very doubtful whether Jesus Christ had a very high concern about the existence after death. He had absolute confidence in such a life, a confidence that made him look upon death in the same way it has ever been faced by any man, as an incident in one's total life. But his high interest, his supreme concern was not in fitting himself or others for the inheritance of a supernatural heaven, but in bringing into practical operation the kingdom of heaven in all human affairs.

Sought Heavenly Control

"He ever lived in unshaken confidence in that divinity which permeates the universe, and so sought above all else to cause heavenly control over the earthly life which is so beset with evil."

"The swing of Protestantism was from medievalism back to the authority of the Scriptures and the apostolic church. And both the medieval church and the Protestant church have laid their chief emphasis upon salvation from this world and into the world to come through the mediation of some kind of supernatural authority. "Because modernism is so interested in the marvelous universe of the natural, which recently-developed sciences have revealed to us, the swing of religious interest has been most definitely back to the heart and teachings of the founder of Christianity, and toward the belief in the establishment of the kingdom of heaven here on earth."

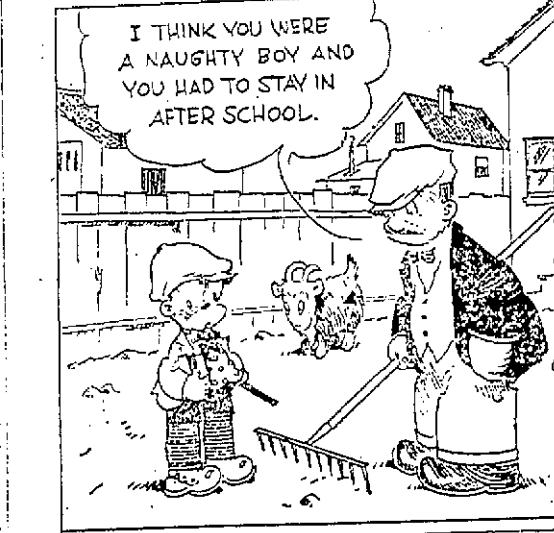
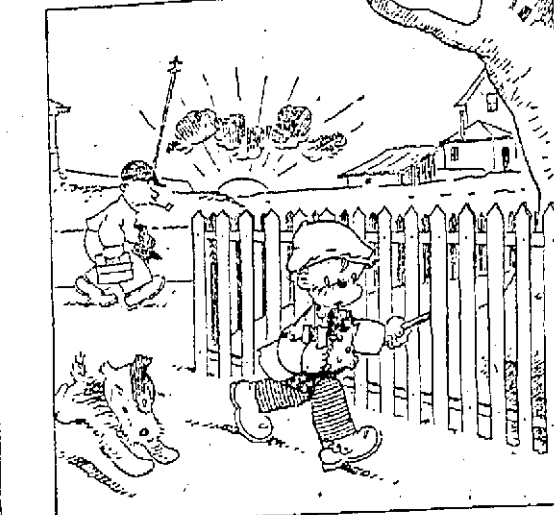


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CURIOSITY CAUSED THE DELAY



of earth, and why on the other hand our chosen youth are determined to give themselves to the redemption of China, India and Africa."

WORK ON TROLLEY SCALE
DETROIT, Mich.—Hands of the street car men's union here and officials of the Detroit United Railway are in conference on a new wage and working agreement proposal submitted by the company following rejection by the men of a twenty per cent wage reduction.

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COLBY MAN TAKEN IS CHARGED WITH HAVING A STILL

John DeGelte, Colby, was arrested in Wisconsin Rapids by Deputy U. S. Marshals Will Tanton, Madison, for having in his possession moonshine and a still. He was released under \$1,000 bond to await trial by grand jury.

The "Golden Rule" is a term applied to Christ's doctrine of doing to others as we would wish them to do unto us. See Luke 6, 31.

Valparaiso 'U' Too Red--Prexy Quits His Post

VALPARAISO, Ind.—Student "insurgents" at Valparaiso university have won their fight. President Daniel Russell Hodgdon sent his resignation to the board of trustees Monday. "The university is a hotbed of bolshevism, communism and other evils," Dr. Hodgdon said, "and nothing we could do to thwart their propaganda has been of any avail because of sinister inside influences. "The stream of propaganda can be traced to the very heart of the federal government, so finally are its protagonists entrenched."

Aims at Former Soldiers

By this last remark, Dr. Hodgdon evidently meant the more than 200 former soldiers sent to the university by the government board of vocational education.

It was one of these men, Jack Pierce, who began the agitation to oust the president. He charged that the administration was trying to make "the poor man's Harvard" a regular Harvard, by payments to students who were prominent in athletics, and trying to introduce "a lot of new ideas that do not jibe with the traditions of the university."

Pierce was head of the student council, which passed a resolution demanding the resignation of the university head. The faculty held a hurried meeting and dissolved the council.

The students split into two camps. The federal board men backing Pierce, solidly and threatening to leave college if he were expelled.

And Wants More

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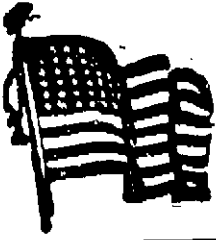
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I WILL NOT FEAR
WHAT time I am afraid, I will trust in Thee. In God I will put my trust. I will not fear what flesh can do to me.—Psalms 56: 2, 4.

Is Baseball a Crime?

PROBABLY there are more folks than just those who follow the sporting page who will be interested in the local authorities' answer to the query of the sporting editor on Sunday: Is Baseball a Crime? In case any one interested in the question failed to see it, we may recall that the letter for which the query served as heading was written by H. N. Ruud, and directed attention to the fact that two teams of small boys who attempted to play a game of baseball on the West Avenue Playfield were driven off by an unnamed park official. We repeat, a great many people whose sporting interest in the matter is not great will be concerned over the incident from the standpoint of civic welfare, because they are quite likely to feel, one surmises, that a public playground in an American city has come to a queer pass when the national game is forbidden upon it. Indoor ball, with its big soft sphere, is no doubt a lively and interesting game, but we seriously question if it is good public policy to foster it at the expense of the rougher, harder and by long odds more scientific game of baseball. It is considered good municipal business to encourage and support athletics because they quicken the mind, strengthen the body and temper the moral qualities of young citizens. For fifty years or so the chosen game to this end has been baseball, in the United States, and the "indoor" game seems to a great many fans a less virile variant. It seems probable that the baseball game of the youngsters was broken up out of an anxious consideration for neighboring windows, but as Mr. Ruud points out, his are the nearest windows. If he is, as he says, willing to offer a prize for any budding Babe Ruth of the grammar grades who can bat a ball through his plate glass, we submit that the park authorities ought to be content—and if there are any other conditions of which we are not aware that make baseball impossible on this or any other La Crosse playground, we suggest that the thing to do is not to prohibit our youngsters from playing ball but to remedy the conditions so that they can. Just now a good many public spirited citizens are attempting to bring about a baseball renaissance in La Crosse. But they will not have much luck if the game is actively discouraged by public officers.

A Movie Censorship?

THERE is a bill now before the legislature at Madison which seeks to establish a motion picture censorship in Wisconsin. And, reflecting upon some of the pictures that have been shown in the past, one can understand the spirit of defense of decency which prompted the introduction of the bill. But that a censorship—most un-American of institutions—is the way to the desired end is something that may be questioned. Certainly, from the practical administrative standpoint, a state censorship is not a hopeful experiment. There are forty-eight states, and if each one is to enforce its own ideas of what is and what is not permissible, the motion picture production industry is likely to be in for one long nightmare. Vide the fable of the man who tried to please everybody. . . . The whole idea of a censorship, anyhow, is a little difficult for Americans to stomach. It implies a superior mind or minds with authority to decide what is and is not good for the rest of us, what we may safely be permitted to see and hear. We delegate authority to our elected representatives voluntarily, but it is with the distinct understanding that the final say is ours, and that if we do not agree with their notions we can dismiss them and choose others. A state-appointed and continuing censorship, on motion pictures or anything else, is not so readily subject to this control. It contravenes, in principle, the theory of democracy. Even as a war necessity censorship irked us considerably. In peace-time it would irk us more.

We have our own ways of protecting decency, and they are effective without running counter to our principles—or, if you like it better, our prejudices—about self-government. How

long, for example, has it been since you saw a "vamp" film? And do you know why? Simply because the public revolted at nastiness and stayed away from the box offices when it was offered. The most noted vamp of them all, as a consequence, is now out of a job, and the rather frightened magnates who made a practice of dishing up the dirty stuff are getting on the bandwagon of clean pictures. There wasn't any censorship—there was no need for one. The common sense of the American public asserted itself in a demand for decency, and got it.

Censorship is not necessary to protect the morals of the public to any great extent because the things that censorship would prohibit are not able to undermine public morals, even were they designed for the purpose. A strong and healthy man needs no crutches, and there is nothing crippled about this country's decency. It is quite able to judge for itself in matters of moral cleanliness, without the blighting hand of a governmental Mrs. Grundy to bend and crush art and originality to a uniform dead level of conventionality.

Vastly more useful than a censorship, one is inclined to think, is the active and vigorous movement in which all of the important motion picture producers are now united to drive the dirt-mongers out of the game. That is a sign of growth and the development of genuine artistic standards which have been badly needed. Establishment of a censorship by government is a much more clumsy—and costly—movement in the same direction. And we cannot forget altogether that if we censor the movies we are giving to government a power which, as regards the spoken and written word, our forefathers gave their lives to destroy. Where is it going to lead us, eventually?

Back to Earth

WE all had to speed up during the war. It didn't matter how much it cost to get a thing done, just so it was done fast. Hence it frequently was considered all right to pour money down the sewer, just so it produced speed.

"We've got to get that idea out of our heads," says the general manager of a big corporation. "Mark you, I don't mean that we can slow down. We've all got to buckle in and work harder than ever—to make business good again and to pay off our enormous national debt."

"During the war, my office went on a telegraph and long-distance-phone basis. I'm having an awful time getting that idea out of their heads. When they want a pencil, their first thought still is to wire for it."

"We've got to get rid of that idea—and go back to the old-time way of doing things on an economical basis, back to a postage-stamp instead of a telegram schedule."

Old King Coal isn't such a merry old soul after a mild winter.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY
All indications today point to an agreement between the striking buttonworkers and the management of the Wisconsin Pearl Button company. If the plans of John Humphrey of the state board of arbitration are carried out a committee of five chosen from the strikers will meet D. W. MacWillie tonight to confer on a settlement. The terms agreed to at this meeting are to be accepted by the strikers.

The special committee appointed by the county board to investigate the ownership of the northern end of French Island has decided that it belongs to the city of Onalaska, and that the proceedings whereby the land was turned over to the town of Onalaska, were illegal. A resolution instructing the assessor to collect taxes on the property will be passed at the next meeting of the Onalaska city council.

A plan is on foot among public spirited citizens to obtain a few deer from the state department of fish and game, to be held as a nucleus for a zoo in Myrick park. The deer can be obtained at no cost except that of transportation. The zoo would be added too from time to time as opportunity presented itself.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY
The selection of a site for the new high school premises to cause a protracted wrangle between the north and south sides unless the matter is compromised by erecting the building in the bottoms east of the causeway. This location is meeting with considerable favor. The market square is favored by many but favor. The market square is favored by many but favor. The market square is favored by many but favor.

About forty gypsies camped near Onalaska last night. They are on their way to St. Paul where a matrimonial convention is to be held next week. These conventions are held every year so that the young people can get acquainted with others belonging to the pie and may marry without going outside the clan.

Fifteen years ago the Tabernacle Baptist Sunday school was organized in Union hall on Rose street by Dr. Shancy, then pastor of the First Baptist church. To commemorate that event anniversary services will be held next Sunday.

The open cars of the North La Crosse-Street Railway company have been put into service.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY
Mr. Hugo Kahn, director of the Northwestern Saengerbund will be in La Crosse May 7 to train the Liederkreis and Frohsinn societies of this city for the great saengerfest which is to be held in Milwaukee this summer.

Ground was broken yesterday for Mr. F. Bart's new building on Jay street.

A Man For the Ages

BY
Irving Bacheller

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(Continued From Yesterday)

"There was the robbery of the mail stage last summer a few miles north of here," said Mrs. Brimstead. "Every smith of the mail was stolen. I guess that's the reason we haven't had no letter from Vermont in a year."

"Maybe that's why we haven't heard from home," Samson echoed. "Why don't you leave Joe here while you're gone to Chicago?" Anna-bel asked.

"I would help his education to rattle around with Robert and the girls," said Brimstead.

"Would you like to stay?" Samson asked.

"I wouldn't mind," said Josiah who, on the lonely prairie, had had few companions of his own age.

So it happened that Samson went on alone. As he was leaving, Brimstead came close to his side and whispered:

"Don't you ever let a city move into you and settle down and make itself to home. If you do you want to keep your eye on its leading citizens."

"Nobody can tell what'll happen when he's dreamin'," Samson remarked with a laugh as he rode away, waving his hand to the boy Josiah who stood looking up the road with a growing sense of loneliness.

Near the sycamore woods Samson came upon a gray-haired man lying by the roadside with a horse tethered near him. The stranger was sick with a fever. Samson got down from his horse.

"What can I do for you?" he asked.

"The will of God," the stranger feebly answered. "I prayed for help and you have come. I am Peter Cartwright, the preacher. I was so sick and weak I had to get off my horse and lie down. If you had not come I think that I should have died here."

Samson gave him some of the medicine for chills and fever which he always carried in his pocket, and water from his canteen. The sun shone warm but the ground was damp and cold and there was a chilly breeze. He wrapped the stricken man in his coat and sat down beside him and rubbed his aching head.

"Is there any house where I could find help and shelter for you?" he asked presently.

"No, but I feel better—glory to God!" said the preacher. "If you can help me to the back of my horse I will try to ride on with you. There is to be a quarterly meeting ten miles up the road tonight. With the help of God I must get there and tell the people of His goodness and mercy to the children of men. Nothing shall keep me from my duty. I may save a dozen souls from hell—who knows?"

Samson was astonished at the iron will and holy zeal of this non-harmonized, strong-armed, fighting preacher of the prairies of whom he had heard, now, he looked at the rugged head covered with thick, bushy, gray hair, at the disciplined face, smooth-shaven, save for a lock in front of each ear, with its keen, dark eyes and large, firm mouth and jaw. Samson lifted the preacher and set him in the back of his horse.

"God blessed you with great strength," said the latter. "Are you a Christian?"

"I am."

They rode on in silence. Presently Samson observed that the preacher was actually asleep and snoring in the saddle. They proceeded for an hour or more in this manner. When the horses were wallowing through a swamp the preacher awoke.

"Glory be to God!" he shouted. "I am better. I shall be able to preach tonight. A little farther on is the cabin of Brother Cawkins. He has been terribly pecked up by a stiff-necked, rebellious wife. We'll stop there for a cup of tea and if she raises a rumpus you'll see me take her by the horns."

Mrs. Cawkins was a lean, sallow, stern-eyed woman of some forty years with a face like bitter herbs; her husband a mild-mannered, selfless man who, encouraged by Mr. Cartwright, had taken to riding through the upper counties as a preacher—a course of conduct of which his wife heartily disapproved. Solicited by her husband she silently made tea for the travelers. When it had been drunk the two preachers knelt in a corner of the room and Mr. Cartwright began to pray in a loud voice. Mrs. Cawkins shoved the table about and tipped over the chairs and dropped the rolling-pin as a comical rider on the famous circuit rider. The famous circuit rider being in no way put out by this, she dashed a dipper of cold water on the head of her husband. The praying stopped. Mr. Cartwright rose from his knees and commanded her to desist. On he laid hold of the woman and forced her out of the door and closed and bolted it and resumed his praying.

Having recorded this remarkable incident in his diary Samson writes: "Many of these ignorant people in the lonely, prairie cabin are like children. Cartwright leads them on like a father and sometimes with the strong hand. If any of them deserve a spanking they get it. He and others like him have helped to keep the cabin people clean and going up hill instead of down. They have established schools and missions and scattered good books and comforted sorrowing and killed good desire in the hearts of the humble."

As they were leaving Mr. Cawkins told them that the plague had broken out in the settlement of Honey Creek, where the quarantined meeting was to be held, and that the people had been rapidly "dyin' off." Samson knew from this that the smallpox—a dread-

SCHOOL STUDY SPORTS

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Judging a Fly Ball
Written especially for the Boys and Girls Newspaper by
Harry B. Hooper
Right Fielder of the Chicago White Sox.

Quick and accurate judgment of a fly ball comes only after practice. Once it is acquired it becomes almost instinctive. Some players are never good at it. To others it is a natural ability.

It really is a rapid process of mental calculation, this judging of fly balls. It is a problem similar to that of an artillery man. He knows the speed of his projectile. He estimates the amount of resistance it will meet. Then he figures the angle of elevation, so that the force of gravity will land the projectile at the desired point.

The fielder must do the same. When the ball is hit, he starts in the general direction it takes, closely watching the ball. After it has traveled twenty or thirty feet along its course he is able to estimate its speed and its angle of elevation. He has already noted the direction of the wind. All this gives him a fairly good idea of where the ball will land.

He then figures the speed and direction he will have to take to intercept the ball when it nears the ground. If he has a fairly long run he corrects his course by an occasional glance at the ball.

A ball hit directly at a fielder is the hardest for him to judge. He can't get its speed or angle of elevation. In this case the nearest outfielder can help him a lot by calling quickly to "get in" or "get out," as the case may be. He has a side view and can tell instantly whether the ball will carry over his teammate's head or fall short.

One step in the wrong direction will put the fielder farther away from the point of interception than he thinks. Most of the balls that are lost through misjudgment are lost by that one step in the wrong direction.

NUTS TO CRACK
Why is a cook like a barber?
(Yesterday's: "What is the coldest place in the theater?"—Z row.)

THE BOYS AND GIRLS NEWSPAPER

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TALENTED 16-YEAR-OLD BOY JOINS OUR STAFF CARTOONISTS

Introducing Charles Hartung, 16 years of age and a student in Sean High School, Chicago, Ill., who now is a regular member of our cartoon staff. Hartung will make a specialty of his two series of comic pictures under the headings "Stone Age Stuff," picturing humorous incidents that may have happened in the old days, and "The Birth of a New Ambition," in which he will give his idea of a boy trying to decide what he will be when he gets his full growth.

Hartung is not a stranger in our midst, as he has contributed to our columns off and on, but henceforth he will draw comics for us quite regularly. From those of his already published we know he "picks a good punch," and a hearty chuckle in every one of his pen and ink lines, and his work is well worth watching.

DAILY HARDKNOT

It is a "word chain" we have today. All the words described contain the same number of letters—six. To form the second word take the last two letters of the first and add four more. To form the third word take the last two letters of the second and add four, etc.

1—Juicy. 2—Mild. 3—Extent of anything from end to end. 4—To beat soundly. 5—To shake with cold. 6—A valuable fur often used on royal robes. 7—The drink of the gods. 8—A fleet of armed ships. 9—A girl. 10—To pass away. 11—To look for. 12—To alter.

(Answer to yesterday's: Harvard.)



A Large Order

By Dr. WILLIAM E. BARTON
I met a friend who is a member of Congress and congratulated him upon the large majority by which he had been re-elected. He said:

"That is one of the embarrassments of the situation. There are so many men who think they elected me, and who want me to do what they want done."

I said to him, "Your task is an easy one."

He said, "I wish I thought so."

Said I, "All this Congress needs to do is to reduce taxation, and at the same time increase the revenues of the government; to increase wages and at the same time decrease the cost of living; to increase the prosperity of the farmer and the manufacturer, and at the same time reduce the cost of commodities to the ultimate consumer."

He asked, "Is that all?"

I said, "No; I had not finished; that is all that is necessary in that one department of your responsibility."

ed and terrible scourge of pioneer days had come again.

"It's dangerous to go there," said Cawkins.

"Where is sorrow there is my proper place," Cartwright answered. "Those people need comfort and the help of God."

(To Be Continued)

BIRTH OF A NEW AMBITION



TODAY'S GREAT PERSON

April 26—Your Birthday?

"Artemus Ward," the American humorist, whose real name was Charles Farrar Browne. Maybe you already have read some of his work, but if you have not you probably will. He was born at Waterford, Vt., on Saturday, April 26, 1834. He died in England on Wednesday, March 6, 1887. Not only was he a well-known contributor to "Vanity Fair," a humorous magazine, but also a popular lecturer.

A FAMILIAR QUOTATION

(Who wrote it?)

No really great man ever thought himself so.

Yesterday's: "The only way to have a friend is to be one."—Ralph Waldo Emerson, "Essay on Friendship."

Cracked Eggs Repaired

What could be worse than discovering that some of the eggs you have planned to boil on your hike have become cracked during the trip?

But these same eggs can be boiled and will taste just as good as any others, if, before you drop them into the water, you wrap a piece of tissue paper about each one. The tissue paper, when it gets wet, clings to the shell of the egg and prevents the white from running out.

EXERCISE! THAT'S WHAT makes men strong and girls beautiful. In a special "Keep Active" to be printed in this section tomorrow, two good result-getting exercises are described especially for you. Read them and practice.

Abe Martin

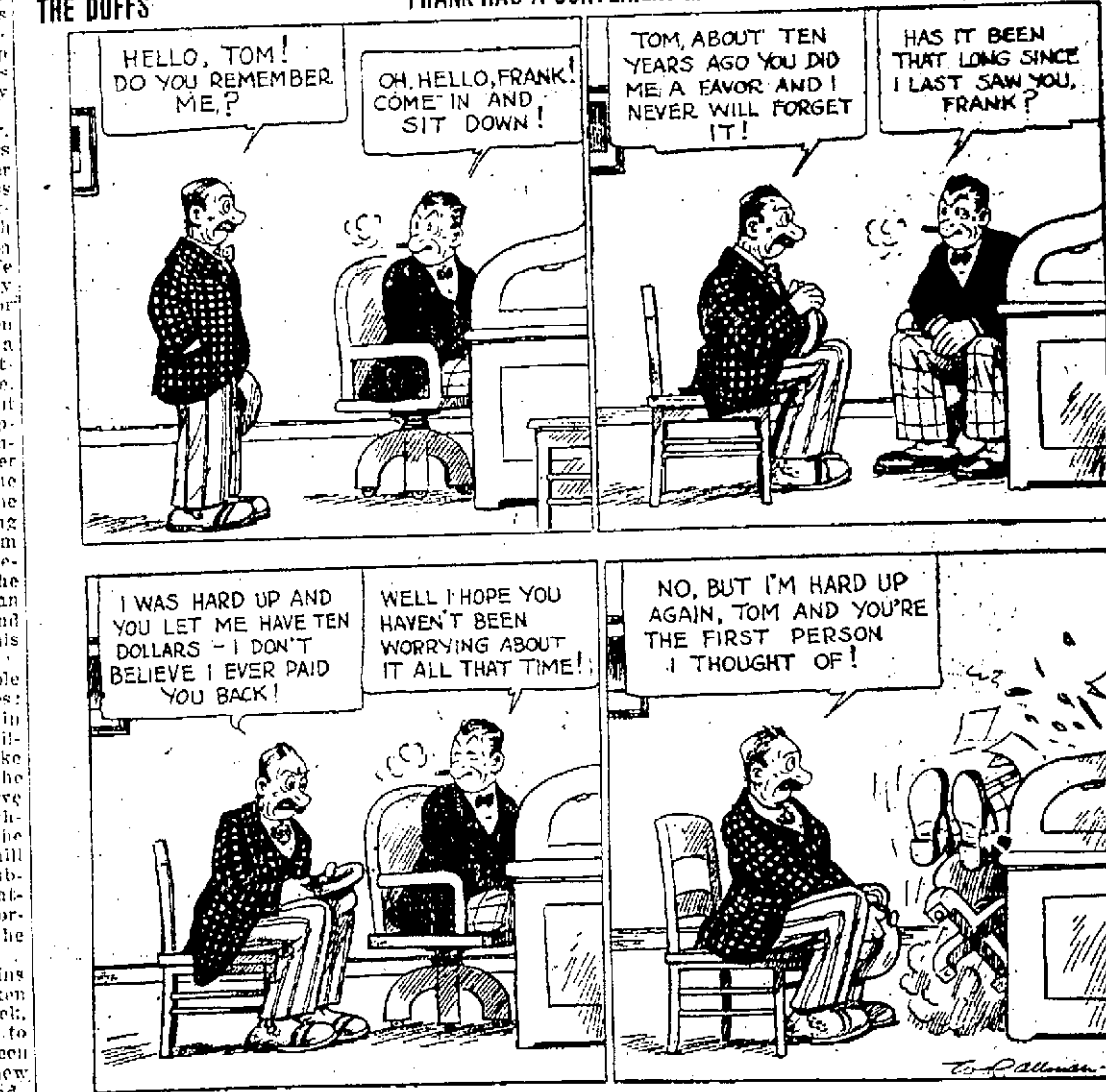


"We're sellin' a right smart o' lip sticks, but we don't hardly ever have a call for a doll any more," said Alex Howe, of the Monarch's an' so, 't' day. It's allus dangerous t' call on a amateur.

THE DUFFS

FRANK HAS A CONVENIENT MEMORY

BY ALLMAN



GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR GIRLS OFFERED BY LIBRARY SCHOOL

**Demand for Librarians Far in
Excess of Supply is
Report**

MADISON, Wis.—Students for the course in library training given by the Wisconsin Library School, affiliated with the University of Wisconsin, are now registering for the year's work beginning in September. There is room for many young women properly qualified. The profession offers unusual opportunities for service to the community and for individual development, congenial surroundings and social contact, and a choice of work not limited geographically. The salary trend for librarians at the present time is upward.

The demand for trained librarians is in excess of the supply. For every graduate leaving the Wisconsin school, there are at least ten requests for positions to be filled according to Miss Mary E. Hazelton, preceptress of the school.

The exhibit of the Wisconsin Library school at the university exposition last week was one of the most attractive booths arranged and drew the attention of many thousands. For the benefit of the public it represented an ideal library. In it were a lending desk with full equipment; books actually being loaned to exhibition visitors; a reference collection; a reading table at which the process of book borrowing was enacted; and a cataloging corner, in which books were constantly being cataloged.

The exhibit brought many inquiries concerning requirements for prospective entrants to the library school. The course covers a school year from September to June, and is open to girls over 20 years of age who meet the entrance requirements enumerated in the catalogue, sent upon request.

The 1921 class is preparing for its annual May Day observance, on April 30. The annual exhibition of poster bulletins will be made by the students. Miss Corlaine Bacon, of New York, will lecture on "The Organization of Life," a discussion on current books on modern social problems. An informal reception and review of posters will follow.

MORMON LEADER DIES
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.—Mrs. Emmeline B. Wells, 93, affectionately known as "Aunt Em" and "Utah's Grand Old Lady," former president of the Relief Society of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, died Monday.

GAR WOOD IN SPEED-BOAT RACING FLYER TO NEW YORK GAINS FIRST LAP ON THE TRAIN OUT OF MIAMI

MIAMI, Fla.—Gar Wood, New York three hours before the flyer arrived. The flyer H. Jr. is the boat which broke all express cruiser records in the Atlantic here in February. Aboard with Wood is C. F. Chapman, editor of Motor Boating, who made a special trip here to make the run.

Plans to Run Inland
DETROIT, Mich.—Gar Wood, who in his fifty foot cruiser Gar H. Jr. is attempting a new speed record from Miami to New York, plans to drive the craft home here, after completing the run to New York, according to local friends of the powerboat "wizard."

He plans immediately after the Miami-New York run to try for a new record from New York to Albany, and if arrangements can be made to facilitate rapid passages through the locks of the Erie canal will pilot the cruiser across Lake Erie and up the Detroit river to its berth at Algona, Mich.

Scion of Wealth Gets Five Years For Car Killing

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Glenway Maxon, Jr., well-known tennis player and son of a prominent Milwaukee family, whose automobile killed Frank Fehligor, chauffeur, on the night of December 22, following a night wine party in which Maxon participated, was found guilty of first degree manslaughter by Judge A. H. Reid, Wausau, in municipal court Monday and was sentenced to five years at the Green Bay reformatory, the minimum for first degree manslaughter.

Judge Reid said that the evidence showed that Maxon was driving 25 miles an hour, which was an excessive speed on such a night; that Maxon was undoubtedly intoxicated, and that he was guilty of reckless driving.

**OLDEST POILU, VETERAN OF
'70-'71 AND OF '15-'18, DIES**
PARIS.—Charles Surcouf, "the oldest poilu in France," veteran of both the Franco-Prussian and the world war, died here Monday at 82 years. Volunteering in 1870, he volunteered again in 1915, when 77, as a sapper. Cited three times, he was a second lieutenant after the Verdun campaign, was awarded the Legion of Honor in 1917 and was made an officer of the Legion in 1919.

Charles Fitzmorris, chief of police of Chicago, never wears a uniform.

PALMER STARTS OUT TO BUY RACE HORSE SEES TRACK REVIVAL

That the colors of La Crosse horsemen will be seen on trotting circuits in the middle west again this fall is the declaration of Alderman Harry Palmer, made on Tuesday as he left for Illinois to buy "one of the best trotting stallions there is" for a local syndicate.

Four or five harness horses with good marks have been purchased or will be purchased soon, said Mr. Palmer. Bob Kane, he said, has bought a Dan Patch mare, and the trotter he intends to buy on this trip will be in the 2:25 class.

The alderman expects to serve as driver and trainer for several of the local horses, and to campaign them around the fair circuit this fall.

ATLANTIC FLEET GATHERS AT HAMPTON ROADS FOR REVIEW

NEWPORT NEWS, Va.—Hotels in the Hampton Roads cities are filled with relatives of officers and men of the Atlantic fleet whose vanguard already is anchored in the roads and the main body of which is expected to pass within the Cape late Tuesday. President Harding and Secretary of the Navy Denby will inspect the fleet at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

Only a few ruins now exist of Cumae, the old colony of the Greeks in Italy.

GRIMSTAD LAND TAX BILL MISUNDERSTOOD DECLARE PROPONENTS

**Claim Measure Provides Only
For Surtax on Excess Values;
Improvements Exempt**

MADISON, Wis.—A wrong impression has gotten abroad among the farmers, the proponents of the Grimstad land tax bill say, as to the purpose and effect of that measure. It simply provides for a surtax on the use and enjoyment of "excess" land values above \$10,000 with an exemption of the value of the improvements, cost of clearing land, standing timber and fertility from that surtax. As a matter of fact it will not apply to nineteen-twentieths of the farms in Wisconsin. It will apply to big land holdings which are held at inflated prices and which, to the degree they are thus held, discourage the securing of land by people of small means for legitimate farming purposes. Without increasing the taxes of the average Wisconsin farmer one cent the new surtax would bring larger revenue into the state treasury and at the same time discourage holdings which really keep land out of the hands of normal farmers. Taking all the exemptions provided for in the bill they will amount to at least \$25,000 on the average farm or urban property. The surtax of one-half of one percent would begin on holdings in excess of \$25,000, and the one per cent tax would not apply until the holdings exceed \$35,000. Careful estimates place the amount of excess farm holdings to which the bill would apply at five per cent of the total taxable property of the state, but this would bring an additional revenue of one million dollars.



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The cuckoo uses the call from which its name is derived only in the mating season.

ALEXA STIRLING IS NINTH IN BRITISH WOMEN GOLF MEET

BROOKWOOD, England.—By The Associated Press.—Mrs. Temple Doherty, former British woman champion, won the scratch prize in the golf match for women on the West Hill course Monday with a score of 82 for the 18 holes.

Miss Alexa Stirling, American woman champion, was tied for ninth

place. Miss Stirling made the 13 holes in eighty-nine.

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PRICE OF GASOLINE CUT THREE CENTS BY LOCAL COMPANIES

Standard and Interstate Oil Companies Reduce the Cost of Five Grades

NATIONAL REFINING COMPANY AWAITS ORDERS TO CUT COST

Tumble Follows Announcement of Standard Reduction

HERES joyful news for the motorists. The price of gas was reduced three cents a gallon today.

Following announcement of a cut of three cents a gallon on refined oil and naphtha by the Standard Oil company of Indiana, in Chicago today, prices tumbled all over the central west.

The Standard Oil company of La Crosse reduced the price of Red Crown gas from 25.1 cents to 22.1 cents and Perfection kerosene from 14.9 to 11.9 cents. The reduction doesn't affect any other grades, it was said.

The Interstate Oil company is selling Star gas at 23.1, lowering it from 26.1 cents. Magic gas was 28 cents and now is 25 cents. Monette was 37 cents and now is 32 cents.

The National Refining company said it had received no word up to noon from the head offices in Duquoin, Iowa, to lower the prices on gasoline.

AMERICAN AVIATOR MAKES ESCAPE FROM RUSS PRISON CAMP

Flyer Fighting With American Squadron With Pole Army Prisoner Since July

RIGA, (By The Associated Press.)—Captain Merlon C. Cooper of Jacksonville, Fla., the Koshinsky aviator, flyer who was shot down on the Russian front and captured by the Russians last July, escaped from prison camp near Moscow on April 12 and arrived in Riga Tuesday.

Captain Cooper was accompanied here by two Polish officers.

The American aviator, while serving with the Poles in their volunteer force, just summer against the Bolsheviks, disappeared behind the Soviet lines in Galicia on July 17. It was learned last September he was a prisoner in Russia. Numerous efforts had been made since to obtain his release but without success.

Captain Cooper's airplane was brought down by "cassacks" belonging to General Budenny's forces.

BILLION DUE HELD SEPARATE FROM TOTAL

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imately if no solution appears probable during the conference.

The French are willing to reopen pour paroles, but they intend to apply new sanctions first in order to impress the Berlin government that France is in earnest and will persist no further trifling.

French Look for Joker

The French expect Upper Silesia to be revealed as a joker in the new proposals. The Germans explaining afterward, if an agreement is reached, that their figures were based on their keeping the entire plebiscite region.

What is termed the vital offer of participation by the United States in the reparations settlement and the necessity for occupation of the Ruhr region of Germany as a guarantee for Germany's execution of any agreement entered into, is emphasized by the evening newspapers.

The Transatlantic in explaining Mr. Lloyd George's difficulty in following the French, Ireland's proposed course reminds the world that "there also is a public opinion in France that reiterates 'We must be paid.'"

Says U. S. Aids Germany

La Liberte considers the occupation of the Ruhr basin as having been adopted in principle, but says Germany still is gulping time. Lion Solis asserts that the United States had withdrawn from European affairs, and adds: "Today they re-enter, but it is at Germany's request, and consequently to serve her."

Prepare for Supreme Council

LONDON.—Allied experts were gathered here Tuesday for a conference preparatory to the meeting of the supreme allied council on Saturday, which will discuss finally Germany's latest reparations proposals.

The supreme council also will have to consider the answer of Berlin to a demand from the allied commission for the payment of 1,000,000,000 gold marks before Saturday. This sum was asked as a result of the attitude the Berlin cabinet has taken toward the demand that the gold holdings of the Reichsbank be transferred from Berlin to either Cologne or Cologne, and in view of Germany's failure to fulfill the provisions of Article 235 of the Versailles treaty. This article called upon Germany to pay to the allies the equivalent of twenty billion before May 1, 1921.

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By GEORGE McMANUS

350 TROUT STREAMS NEAR LA CROSSE AWAIT FISHERMEN

Jackson, Monroe and Vernon
Counties Abound in Ideal
Fishing Spots

BEAUTY SPOTS LURE BOTH SPORTSMEN AND NATURE LOVERS

Numerous Streams May be Easily
Reached from Sparta

SPARTA, WIS.—With the advent of May the sportsman will be seen with rod and fishing basket, making his way to the trout stream, famed for containing the greatest number of the "speckled beauties." Some fishermen, who were misinformed as to the time the trout season opened, have already been fined for fishing out of season, but such the ban will be lifted and the banks of the trout streams will be thronged with sportsmen and nature lovers.

With the exception of Jackson County, Monroe County has more trout streams than any other county in the state. Jackson leads in the number, having to its credit 121 trout streams. Monroe County has 115 and Vernon is next with 104 good trout streams.

People come to Sparta each year from all parts of the country, at the fishing season, for there are so many beauty spots to attract the lovers of nature, besides being of interest to fishermen.

Trout Falls Most Popular

Probably the most popular of all the picturesque places in this vicinity is Trout Falls, situated about ten miles northwest of Sparta. Here a series of little falls in the La Crosse river makes an ideal spot for picnics and fishing. The water is clear and cold, and meanders over smooth, rocky bottoms, with here and there a cave and bend; the banks on either side are thick with trees and shrubs, and the beauty of the scene appeals to every eye. "Dad" Berry, who owns the place, has built a pavilion on the bank of the falls, with rustic tables and benches therein, and probably under its sheltering roof, hundreds eat their picnic dinners each year.

At this place the water takes a fall of about eight feet, and many trout are often seen in the clear water, going over the rocks, and often turning, trying to make their way up stream, only to be caught in the rapids and carried down again.

Another beauty spot is Beech Lake, almost in the heart of the city. It is an artificial body of water, made by damming Beaver creek. Years ago it was well stocked with fish and because of its easy access, the banks were always lined with fishermen. Of late years, however, it has not been kept replenished, and now is more of a favorite resort for picnics than fishing. It derived its name from the perch that used to abound there.

300 Miles of Trout Streams

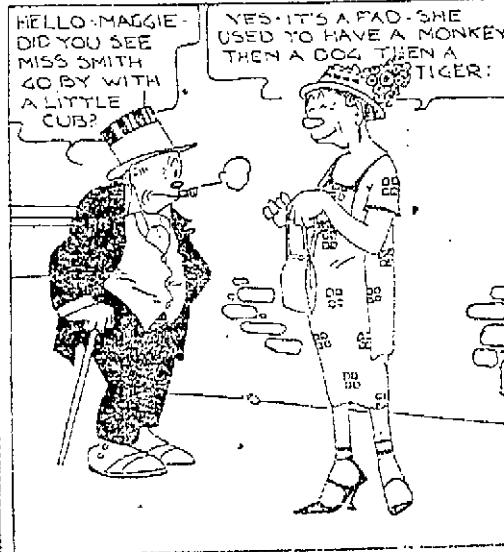
As before stated, Monroe County has many wonderful trout streams. There are more than three hundred miles of trout streams within its borders, and large quantities of the fishy tribe are taken from the waters every year. Going northeast from Sparta, the first stream one comes to is Silver creek. Here the rainbow and speckled trout are found. Next is Little Silver, and beyond that, Tar Creek. At this place also, is a pretty fall of water, known as Tar Falls, which is a favorite camping spot, and is enjoyed by many during the summer time. As at Trout Falls, many found shelter under the hospitable roof of "Dad" Berry, so at Tar Falls the home of late "Jim" Murphy, he and his wife offered hospitality to the weary sportsman.

Stillwell creek comes next in order, then Sparta creek, Ash Run, Squaw creek and the north and south branches of the La Crosse. Speckled trout still inhabit these streams.

Wilsonville, north from Trout Falls is always a favorite fishing spot in this vicinity and shady nooks and the greenwood, offer ideal spots for camping and for picnic parties. The water in the stream here is not too deep for wading, and one can walk to the bank several miles, and enter the stream, fishing down the current, and along either bank are the cool, dark, shadowy places where the speckled beauties love to hide.

Taking a cross country hike from here, one can cross the ridge and come out on Robinson creek, South Fork, Branch creek, and Clear creek. All of these empty into Black river, going from Sparta, the better way to reach these streams is to go by way of Calmar, out on the Black River road, instead of crossing the ridge. This Calmar road has been newly graded and recently shifted, and is now in the best condition ever, so that only a short time is required to drive from here to Calmar now, where formerly the sandy Calmar trail was a terror and avoided as much as possible.

BRINGING UP FATHER



GOOD BUYERS OR GOOD-BYERS

Robinson Creek Attractive

Many beautiful spots may be seen on the banks of Robinson Creek. The full stretch of the stream, in many places, has carpeted the ground with a thick covering of their needles, and one could sit unworried for hours on the banks, or lounge in the shade of some tall pine, listening to the wind sighing in the branches, the murmur of the water fall, and watching the ever changing hues of the scene, as the shadows come and go.

One of our progressive townsmen, Harley W. Jefferson, purchased 80 acres of land in this vicinity, a few years ago. It is what is known as Dolly's Ram or Dolly's Falls, and on this are situated the well known picnic grounds.

The place is in Jackson County, about 20 miles from Sparta. Mr. Jefferson has built a beautiful lodge at the falls, and this beauty spot has been the Mecca of many motor parties and picnics, and the Jeffersons entertain frequently at week-end parties, many sharing their hospitality during the summer season. In Robinson creek, the speckled trout and German browns are found.

Going out of Sparta on the south and toward the west, one comes to Walworth creek, and other trout streams in close vicinity are Beaver creek, Big creek and the Little La Crosse, the latter flowing through Leon Valley, five miles distant from Sparta.

No better way to spend an ideal spring day, can present itself, than to go with a company of congenial friends, to some beautiful trout stream, fish to your heart's content, and then enjoy a sumptuous dinner and supper, in some lovely spot near the water, where the aroma of the boiling coffee fills all the air around, and even the tremendous appetites acquired by healthy sport in the outdoor air, can not help but be satisfied by the good things spread out before you. Perhaps too, some of the recent catch, are prepared for cooking and are being fried, while you wait, over a bright little camp fire. Then, there is the ride home, in the evening, as a fitting climax to a day of real sport.

Only one-third of the coast line of Cuba is accessible to vessels.

is the means by which both good style and fair prices are created. No particular style prevails until it is seen and accepted by the people for whom it was created. It must be brought to the attention of a sufficient number of persons to whom it appeals before it can become popular, and the medium for this creating style is advertising.

In the matter of prices there are two determining factors; production cost and merchandising cost. What ever may be the fluctuation of the former, the merchandising cost is lowered by the wise use of advertising space. Advertising creates sales; increased sales enable a merchant to turn his stocks off faster; through quick stock turns he can afford to take less profit and the result is lower prices. This is most strongly emphasized by the fact that advertised articles were the last to advance in price, and the first to be reduced.

Every buyer, therefore, is the beneficiary of advertising. How much he benefits depends upon how carefully and how constantly he follows advertising offerings.

Merchants and manufacturers are announcing every day interesting sales in which price reductions are

evident. The full significance of them can best be appreciated by comparison with those prices which war conditions produced.

But whether or not comparison is made, the fact itself will be sustained by the outcome of a shepping expedition directed by the contents of the advertising columns.

To neglect to read the advertising announcements from day to day is to overlook important buying opportunities. To read the store news is to buy better values, save more money, and have a larger number of comforts and luxuries for both yourself and your family.

Belong, therefore, not to the class that spend at random until they have said good-bye to their last dollar without reaching the end of their buying list. Belong rather to the wise body of people who first make a note of their needs and then consult the advertising columns to find how those needs can be most satisfactorily covered by the family purse.

AUTO TURTLES—ONE DEAD

IRONWOOD, Mich.—Alex Hantula was killed and Wilho Turmonin was severely injured when an automobile which Hantula was driving went off the Ramsay-Bessemer road yesterday.

TELEPHONE COMPANY TO CHANGE NUMBERS 400 TO 500 SHORTLY

Notices are being sent to telephone subscribers having party line numbers between 400 and 500 that new numbers will be assigned to their telephones, the changes to appear in the June issue of the phone directory.

The company's notice says the changes are being made for the improvement of the service all over the city. All numbers from 1 to 399 inclusive will be reserved for individual lines and all numbers from 1,000 up

FIRE HOSE FOR THE HOLY SEPULCHRE

LONDON.—Provision for the protection of the holy sepulchre against fire has been made by Sir Herbert Samuel, high commissioner for Palestine, says the Palestine Weekly. He ordered three portable pumps from England.

The modern science of seismology or earthquake study was originated by the late Professor H. N. McCoy who studied earthquakes in Japan.

Safe Milk for INFANTS and INVALIDS



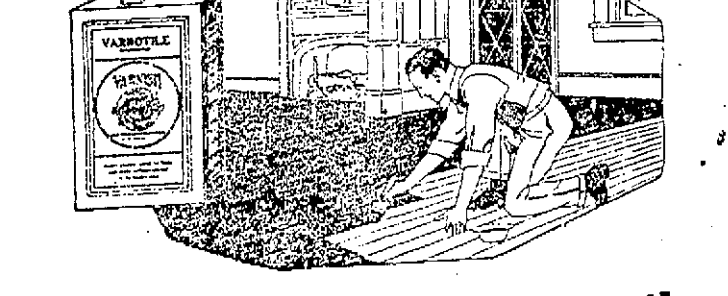
For infants, invalids and growing children. Rich milk, malted grain extract in powder. The Original Food-Drink for All Ages. No Cooking—Nourishing—Digestible.

A Richly-Drawing Tea of superb flavor—



"SALADA"
TEA

has won the patronage of millions through its incomparable richness of flavor



Re-Varnish With Varnotile (Acme Quality Floor Varnish)

When the dull worn spots begin to show up on your varnished floors it is time to re-varnish. Don't "put it off" or the floor itself will be permanently injured. Re-varnish them at once—save the surface.

ACME QUALITY VARNOTILE (Floor Varnish)

is a tough, elastic varnish made especially for floors. It wears well, does not scratch or mar white and is the ideal varnish for floors, steps hallways and all interior wood-work subjected to severe wear.

We have paints and varnishes for every purpose and no matter how big or how small the surface we can furnish you the proper Acme Quality Kind to fit the purpose.

V. Tausche Hardware Co.
135-203 So. 4th St., La Crosse, Wis.

329
PEARL
STREET

RESNECK-BERGER CO'S
Ladies' Shop
OPERATING A CHAIN OF STORES

329
PEARL
STREET

329 Pearl St. "Just a few steps from Main street—steps that save you money."

Featuring WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

Special Group New SPRING DRESSES

MADE TO SELL FROM \$29.50 TO \$32.50.

The very dresses the women of this town are wanting right now—these dainty beaded, embroidered and lace trimmed garments made of Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Georgette, Taffeta, Tricotine and French Serge. Every new shade is shown. Sizes for Women, Misses and Juniors. All alterations will be made free of charge.

ALSO OTHER DRESSES AT \$9.00, \$11.00, \$15.00 TO \$26.99

Smart Looking Coats and Wraps

No exaggeration when we say these are the Best Values in town.

\$14.90 and \$18.90

Coats and Wraps of suedine, wool velour, polo and yalama cloth and silvertone, half and full silk lined with satin or Pussy Willow taffeta. The majority of these handsome garments are elaborately hand embroidered with silk. Wrap and sport coat models, in the newer shades of Harding blue, reindeer, copen, navy add brown. Sizes for Women, Misses and Juniors. Alterations will be made free of charge.

OTHER COATS at \$9.85 to \$42.50

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Newest Spring Suits

Specially Priced

\$26.90 and \$39.50

Wonderful looking new Spring Suits of Tricotine, Poret Twill and Mannish Serge. These garments are beautifully silk lined, excellently tailored and hand embroidered with silk. Long straightline or box models, featuring garments actually made to sell from \$34.50 to \$75.00. The colors are navy, black and tan. Sizes are 36 to 44, also extra sizes, 45 to 51. All alterations made free of charge.

And Many Other Suits at \$16.90 to \$23.90

Make your face a business asset. Don't be turned down because of a poor skin when Resinol Soap and Ointment can be obtained at little cost from any drugist and usually clear away eczema, rashes, etc., quickly and easily.

Resinol

PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR PASSAGE OF U. S. BUDGET BILL

Good and McCormick Bills in House and Senate to Need Little Adjustment

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Early enactment of budget legislation appeared in prospect Tuesday. The special budget committee of the house reported out a revised budget bill and the senate committee on expenditures of executive departments took similar action.

While the Good bill as reported from the house committee and the McCormick bill as reported from the senate committee differ slightly, a tentative agreement has been reached between the leaders of the two houses. It is expected there will be little further difficulty in putting a measure through.

Offers Needed Compromise
The bill as sponsored by Senator McCormick embodies the compromise reached between senate and house leaders that the budget bureau be placed in the treasury department, and that both the director and assistant director shall be appointed by the president, who would submit the budget to congress.

The McCormick bill represents a compromise between those who favored placing the budget bureau directly under the president and those who wished the secretary of the treasury to be in direct charge of the preparation of the budget.

Provisions of House Bill
The Good bill, as reported to the house, creates a budget bureau, leaving its location to be determined, and provides that both the director and assistant director shall be appointed by the president, at salaries of \$10,000 and \$7,000 respectively. The McCormick bill provides salaries of \$10,000 and \$5,000.

It is the understanding that the house leaders will accept an amendment placing the budget bureau in the treasury department.

Miss Corn Larson has returned to the city after spending a few days in Minneapolis.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The national budget bill, vetoed by Wilson, was introduced again in the house.

AT THE TOLLIE HALL
A step, a step, a threatened step. Another step, behold! Of forty-five acquires the gait of forty-five acquires the gait. Perchance the breath of scandal may turn to infant prattle. While favors at the dance will be a toothy ring or rattle. —Cartoons Magazine.

What is home without a mother? And is mad as fury? He has had no lunch today—Mother's on the jury. —Judge.

YOUNGEST CABINET HOSTESS



MISS ALISA MELLON

The youngest of the new cabinet hostesses is Miss Alisa Mellon. She is 18 years old and will not only be a cabinet debutante during her first season in Washington, but will act as hostess for her father, Andrew Mellon, secretary of the treasury.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS A Summary of the News

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Nominations of three members of the railroad board were confirmed by the senate but those of new army general officers were postponed.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The interstate commerce commission granted permission to the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads to issue \$20,000,000 bonds to take up the bond issue used to purchase the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The Kansas City Journal was purchased by Walter Dickey, wealthy clay products manufacturer.

CHICAGO, Ill.—A reduction of three cents a gallon on gasoline and kerosene from 25 and 13½ cents, was announced by the Standard Oil of Indiana company.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Dr. G. R. Hodgdon, president of Valparaiso university.

Valparaiso, Ind., resigned, declaring the school was a hotbed of bolshevism.

BERLIN.—The German reparations offer is 200,000,000,000 gold marks, according to those close to the government.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan.—Twenty-two of the forty-seven I. W. W. under orders to report to the federal prison had reported Monday and ten were understood to be on their way here from Chicago.

PARIS.—Radical socialists have started a movement of protest against celebration of the 100th anniversary of the death of Napoleon, May 4 and 5.

LIEGE, Belgium.—Four barges carrying about 100 dead from Verdun, were paid notable honors by Belgian officials.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Harding received with full dignity the prince of Monaco, head of the smallest kingdom in the world.

All snakes are venomous.

SPECTACULAR "MELO" COMES TO RIVIERA

"When New York Sleeps" Pictures New York Underworld and Society Life

"When New York Sleeps," the spectacular William Fox melodrama, which opens at the Riviera on Wednesday, has been called the "most sensational and artistic melodrama of the year" by critics in eastern cities where it is now being shown.

Night life in New York among the several strata of society in that cosmopolitan city is pictured with vividness and fidelity in the three acts or episodes which compose the picture. The play abounds with spectacular incidents and yet the thing that remains in the memory after seeing "White New York Sleeps" is the almost incredible suspense with which Director Charles J. Brabin has succeeded in enlivening his great picture.

Some magnificent views of the bright spots along The Great White Way have been used in the picture. For instance, there is a dancing number from Florenz Ziegfeld's popular Midnight Frolic girl-and-music show, together with gorgeous cabaret scenes from the Cafe Palais Royal.

Then the action plunges over to the East Side where we see a tragedy in the lives of a tempestuous shop girl, her piny gentle-hearted husband when she despises, the saintly, parting father of the man, and the gangster leader of a band of thieves. In this episode occurs a thrilling revolver battle between the famous New York police boat and a launch full of desperadoes.

In addition to the remarkable tenacity of the three stories and the interest in connection with the spectacular features that the director has introduced into the picture are the splendid characterizations effected

by the small but eminent cast of players who portray the principal parts. Seldom if ever in the history of the screen has any group of players acquitted themselves so admirably.

The cast is composed of Estelle Taylor, one of the most beautiful and capable of the younger actresses of the screen; today, Marc Macdermott, who has for many years enriched the screen with his ability; Harry Southern, nephew of E. H. Southern, William Locke and Earl Metcalfe, a star in his own right.

His Wish

W. McKee—Did I hear you say you wanted a divorce?
Y. Zee—Oh, no. All I want is a divorcee. —Detroit Times.

Advertisement

Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Tells Safe and Simple Way to Treat And Relieve at Home

If you have catarrhal deafness or if phlegm drops in your throat and towards you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist: 1 ounce of Eucalypti (Double strength), 1 ounce of Glycerin, 1 ounce of Iodine, 1 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easy, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dizziness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and pains dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. It is said that nearly ninety per cent of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and these must, therefore, be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple, harmless, home treatment.

CLARK'S RAGADOURS

AT THE

EAGLES' HALL

FOR ONE OF THE PERFECTLY WONDERFUL DANCES

THURSDAY, April 28th

You know the kind of can't-make-your-feet-behave sort of music these boys produce. They've got a few new stunts for this occasion. Gather in your best girl and LET'S GO!

EXHIBIT TO HAVE THE FORESTS

The government department of forestry has prepared a number of very ingenious models to demonstrate the dangers of forest fires. Sparks from railroad locomotives which traverse timbered country cause many destructive forest fires each year. This is displayed by means of a miniature passenger train which runs along the foot of a mountainous slope which is heavily forested. Sparks from the engine fire the underbrush and rapidly the flames climb the hillside. Similarly, the fire damages caused by motor tourists who throw lighted cigars, cigarettes or pipe ashes from the automobile as it speeds through a densely timbered territory, are also depicted in the mechanical exhibit.

These sparks touch off the dry refuse on the ground and directly the flames spread over the adjoining hillside. From a scientific and mechanical standpoint this novel method of illustrating forest fire causes is extremely meritorious and praiseworthy. Wherever it has been exhibited it has elicited much favorable comment and has resulted in many earnest motorists, campers and rangers forming their activities as related to camp fire neglect, match use and ignited tobacco disposal.

You might say that a dry day who goes sniffling about is the scorch of population. —Detroit Press.

Quality! Style! Economy!

Are a few of the many features that have made our shoes popular in the past, and which will continue to keep them in demand.

True economy does not always consist in buying the cheapest article. This holds true especially in footwear. You give your shoes harder wear, probably than any other part of your wearing apparel, and it is, therefore essential that you have as good materials and workmanship in your shoes as you can get. It is the policy of this store to give you good, honest materials, clean workmanship, and the newest in styles at the most reasonable price as is justified in safe and sane merchandising methods. We guarantee satisfaction with every pair sold.

Men's Shoes, \$4.85 up
from
Men's Oxfords, \$8.50 up
from
Ladies' Oxfords and Slippers in all the newest patterns, from \$6.50 up

Rivoli Shoe Store

RICE & THOMPSON.

Rivoli Theater Bldg. 117 No. 4th St.
WE DO FINE SHOE REPAIRING.

"While New York Sleeps"

Direct from its New York, Boston, St. Louis, Minneapolis and St. Paul phenomenal runs where midnight shows were required to accommodate the capacity crowds.

THE MOST ASTOUNDING PHOTO DRAMA OF THE AGE

Added Attraction
4 AMATEUR ACTS

MOSTLY GIRLS!!!

Mountaineer Maniacs

Six girls in much foolishness.

Harvey Brandon

A villain in blackface, and two more acts.



Wednesday and Thursday

COOPER'S RIVIERA

William Fox presents the great cinemelodrama of life in the great Metropolis. See the gay White Way as never before picturized.

WILL BE THE TALK OF THE TOWN

Minneapolis and St. Paul paid \$1.50

To see this attraction see it at the

RIVIERA

Wednesday and Thursday

NO ADVANCE in PRICES

Admission 11c and 28c

A PULSING PANORAMIC PORTRAYAL
Of Night Life in the World's Greatest City
A Living Page from Life. In all the annals of the spoken stage or silent screen.
THE GREATEST PICTORIAL PRODUCTION YET MADE.

What all New York is Talking About—
The fact that to accommodate the vast throngs unable to gain admission to The Lyric Theater, another—The Lyric Theater—had to be secured. Tinkling with thrills, surprise and sensation. Taken from the daily drama of the world's metropolis and shown as they have never before been seen.

THE NIGHT HAS A THOUSAND EYES
And the day but one.
Behind the scenes of a great city's drawn curtains on night life. Where glows glow and shadows hide those who lurk, while New York Sleeps. See those who are awake.

Contains More Novelties and Climaxes Than ever before contemplated.
Would you like to see an entire scene of the most widely advertised and most ravishly beautiful stage spectacle known—THE ZIEGFELD MIDNIGHT FROLIC? Well, that is embodied among many other features in the production.

The Screen

AT THE THEATERS TODAY
The Jucklins—The Jucklins with Monte Blue, Clyde Cook comedy, "The Hawks."
The Little Clown—The Little Clown with Mary Miles Minter in "The Little Clown," vaudeville, comedy, songs and dances, and comedy bits; Tom Moore in "Toby's Bow," comedy; "Up in Mary's Attic," comedy; "The Golden Trail," comedy; "The Fire Bug," comedy.

FAMOUS PICTURE SHOWN AT THE RIVOLI TODAY
Monte Blue, who is fast becoming one of the leading figures on the screen, presents a remarkable performance in his portrayal of the role of Bill Hawes, the country school teacher in "The Jucklins," a picture of the head's novel of the same name, which is showing at the Rivoli Theatre.

Mr. Blue's is one of the most important roles enacted by the all-star cast. In Bill Hawes he has a character part which fits him like a glove. The story deals with a rural family of North Carolina, where Bill Hawes comes to board and to teach the country school. Romance, suspense, delightful human interest and remarkable character portrayal are all elements in the ensuing drama.

MANY UNIQUE SCENES SEEN IN "BLACK BEAUTY"
John Dudge, one of the most popular of the younger stars, has the principal role in the big special production, "Black Beauty," which will be shown at Rivoli theatre starting Thursday. The film is unique in many respects and is filled with spectacular scenes. The fox hunt, the fire in the stables, the storm that catches the bridge away, the grand ballroom scene and the race between horse and locomotive are some of the big moments in the picture. A score of horses used in the production necessitated the maintenance of blacksmith shop harness makers, carriage maker and a large number of groomers, stable boys and the like during the making of the film.

RIVIERA

Where Your Money Lasts the Longest **PRICES 11c and 22c**

REAL ZIPPY VODVIL

JANET WILLARD
IN GLASSY SONGS AND NIFTY CHATTER
BOUCHEZ & OWENS
SONGS, DANCES, COMEDY BITS

TOM MOORE

at his fighting, smiling best, in
"TOBY'S BOW"
A swizzling comedy drama of New York life and southern love.

—AND—
FORD WEEKLY
Gosh, the Morning After
MOST ASSUREDLY YOU'LL HEAR THEM—
RIVIERA ORCHESTRA

WEDNESDAY—AMATEURS
4 ACTS—MOSTLY GIRLS
ALSO—"WHEN NEW YORK SLEEPS"

THURSDAY
CHESTER WRIGHT presents his
"Mississippi Minstrels"
AND BELIEVE US, THEY'RE GOOD.

Crown" now at the Majestic Theatre, one of the most delightful entertainments of the current screen year.
"The Little Clown" is by Avery Hopwood, author of "Fair and Warmer," "The Gold Diggers," and a score of other famous comedy successes. Certainly this circus story is up to the best standard of Hopwood's work. He has mingled humor, pathos and human nature, with a whole menagerie of animals thrown in for good measure, to make a play that will appeal to all ages from six to sixty.

Last night's quota of youngsters giggled themselves into perfect content over "Mr. Chico," the monkey, the camels, the elephants, and the bears, not to mention the antics of Miss Minter and Neddy Blawards as clowns, and Jack Muthall as the daring bareback rider.

GREAT COMEDY AT CASINO
"Up in Mary's Attic," the six-reel super-comedy feature, is the attraction at the Casino today and Wednesday. The story concerns a certain lovable girl named Mary, who is the belle of the girls' school, which she attends. Her romance is the theme of the entire feature, its various phases and farcical twists having been skillfully and cleverly made a part of the story. The same light touch which has characterized the work of both Miss Novak and Mr. Gribbon in other comedy releases has been introduced in this

COOPER'S Strand
PRICES: 11c and 22c.
And they're ground floor prices, too!

TODAY
THE GREAT SCREEN DRAMA OF THE KLONDIKE



The Golden Trail
with **JANE NOVAK**
COMEDY—"FIRE BUG"
WEDNESDAY
Two Acts, "Big Time"
VODVIL
—ALSO—
PAULINE FREDERICK in "BONDS OF LOVE"

offering. Scores of beautiful girls appear during the course of the story—first as bathing beauties, and later as fellow-students with Mary at the school. Harry Gribbon is instructor of physical culture at the school, and as such leads the girls through a series of pranks and mirthmaking episodes that will bring a smile and a laugh to the very zenith. The production travels at top-speed throughout its six reels, carrying its story clearly until the end, which is logical and happy.

"GOLDEN TRAIL"—STRAND
Jean Hersholt, who aside from playing the heavy in the thrilling screen drama in "The Golden Trail," at the Strand today, also does an eccentric bit of character acting that is very unique. He portrays the role of an eccentric gold digger with a pronounced fondness for the glowing bowl. In one of the scenes he appears in the role of salvaging all the empty half glasses of liquor on the bar. In the struggle of this scene in which he drank the beer he was compelled to drink twenty-three of the

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large glasses until the scene was staged to the satisfaction of Louis Modrow, who was directing the production. Mr. Hersholt stated after the day's work was done that he would never have the nerve to look a glass of beer in the face again.

He Only Wore Stripes
"Didn't you ever have an ambition to do something in life?"
"Yes, mum," said the applicant for broken victims.
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Visiting Brothers invited.
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PROPER SPENDING TO AID THE POOR HELPS AFFLICTED

Trained Social Workers Essential in the Administration of Charity

The history of social service, its present status, and its future needs and plans were discussed by Dr. L. J. Gillan of Madison at the Chamber of Commerce Monday evening. Dr. Gillan is professor of sociology at the University of Wisconsin and has studied the subject at first hand for a number of years.

"Social service had its beginning with the dawn of the Christian era," he said, "and the underlying thought of our religion, Christianity, was the great inspiring force of man's service to his fellowman. In ancient times the natural reaction for those with physical or mental afflictions, was to be ostracized. Later the church became the chief dispenser of alms. Gradually almsgiving came to be overcome as the people gave not with the idea of helping the pauper but in order to lay up treasures for themselves in heaven. Thus the paupers became more numerous.

"We can have as many paupers as we are willing to pay for," is the most difficult thing in the world to give somebody something and not do some harm. Most people think of social service as mere giving. That idea is all wrong. To give help to those who need it by making them stand on their own feet and making them contributive factors in community life—that's the problem of social service."

Four Years in Slums

In this connection Dr. Gillan told several incidents which happened on the well known "East Side" of New York city. He spent four years in this slum center, where he lived, as he says, "with the Bohemians on the north, the Italians on the west and the Jews all around me. While I was living here," he continued, "a blind man who used to play a hand organ on the corner while passersby dropped coins into his hat, died. He was worth \$150,000. Twenty years before his death he was out of a job and someone suggested that he feign blindness and become a beggar. He discovered that he could not sell his eyes upward until only the whites showed, so he became a blind beggar. But after ten years of this dissimulation, nature took revenge upon his hypocrisy and he became really blind. Far worse than that, however, he had become a confirmed pauper."

In another instance cited by the speaker, a so-called "poor" family was given a Christmas dinner of four

turkeys, five bushels of apples and enough food for a week because of disorganized charity.

Organized Charity Needed

"It is this idea of working charitable organizations for all they can get out of them that we must guard against," said Dr. Gillan. "That's why we have trained social workers—men and women especially fitted for this service. The average person criticizes the fact that out of every dollar that is given to a charitable institution, fifty cents is spent for salaries or administration. When you go to a doctor, what do you pay for? Not the prescription or the medicine but the knowledge and skill of the doctor in handling your disease. The same is true of social service. Seventy-five cents out of every dollar ought to go for the services of the workers. You call it administration. Leave off the 'ad' and I'm with you. Administration—that's what it is."

Dr. Gillan then explained the duties of a social worker and told how various cases are treated. "There is one great factor in the matter of dependency and delinquency and that is mental defect," he said. "I'm proud to say that no state in the world gives better care to its dependents than our own state of Wisconsin. But it is costing us \$7,000,000 a year to do it. Isn't it about time we were giving some thought to the things that are costing us so much. We must stop these things at their source and the best way to do it is by organized charity and trained workers. Charity to be efficient must be organized. We owe it to the community to help."

Dr. Gillan came to La Crosse at the invitation of the Associated Charities and the social service department of the University Extension Division. The Rev. C. C. Rawlinson supplemented Dr. Gillan's talk, said, "On May 12, we are going to try to sell to the community the same thing that Dr. Gillan has been trying to sell to you this evening. We want all representatives of churches, civic organizations and every member of the community here."

PLEAD THAT JURIES WITHOUT WOMEN CAN'T BE LEGAL

CHICAGO, Ill.—A plea that grand juries for which women have not been impeached cannot return legal indictments, was made by attorneys Monday, in asking that an indictment against Thomas Devereaux, charged with the robbery of \$27, be quashed. James C. O'Brien and John Owen, both former assistant state attorneys, argued before Judge McDonald, chief justice of the superior court, that with the 19th amendment in effect women must be called for jury service and that as they had not been called for the jury which indicted Devereaux the indictment was illegal.

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PLANS RAIL COMBINATIONS

WASHINGTON, N. C.—A plan to consolidate all railroads into five great transcontinental systems was filed with the interstate commerce commission Monday by Fred B. Whitney of Waukegan, Illinois, as a citizen of the United States and a stockholder in various railroads.

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CONGRESS PROBE OF U. S. AGRICULTURE ASKED BY LENROOT

Resolution Proposed Joint Committee to Investigate Conditions Affecting Farms

WASHINGTON.—Creation of a joint commission of agriculture to investigate conditions affecting the farming industry and to suggest remedial legislation is proposed in a resolution introduced Monday by Senator Lenroot, republican, Wisconsin, and Representative Strong, republican, Kansas. The measure was presented at the request of associated farm organizations which met here last week.

The resolution said that unless the condition of agriculture was remedied, the United States will in a few years be forced to import much of the food necessary for its own inhabitants. It was added that producers of grain, livestock and cotton were threatened with ruin.

The president would be authorized to name the commission, which would report within ninety days on these questions:

The cause of the present condition of agriculture; comparative condition of industries other than agriculture; regulation of prices of commodities other than agricultural products to such products; banking

and financial resources and credits, especially affecting agricultural credits and the marketing and transportation facilities of the country.

HARDING NOMINATES

WASHINGTON.—Francis M. Goodwin of Spokane, Wash., was nominated Monday by President Harding to be assistant secretary of the Interior. Robert H. Lovett of Illinois was nominated to be assistant attorney general and Theodore G. Risley of Illinois to be solicitor for the department of labor.

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